

ST. LOUIS PROVES EASY IN OPENING GAME FOR CHICAGO

Lange Effective in All But Two Innings—Score Is 7 to 2.

St. Louis, Mo., April 13.—Chicago took the first game of the series with St. Louis here this afternoon 7 to 2. Lange was effective in all but two innings, the fourth and seventh, in which the locals scored their runs. In the ninth inning, with none out, Lange walked three players in succession, and was relieved by Walsh, who retired the side on strikes.

In the second inning the visitors scored three runs. Mattick walked, and scored in front of Weaver, who drove the ball over the right field fence for a home run. Then Schalk walked, moved up a base on an error, and scored when Rath hit safely to center.

St. Louis scored its first run in the fourth inning on Weaver's wide throw and Stovall's double. A base on balls, an error, Schalk's triple and a sacrifice fly in the sixth inning gave Chicago three more runs. Collins's single and Bodie's two-bagger in the next inning gave the visitors another tally. Two singles and an error in the seventh inning gave St. Louis its last run.

Chicago. ABH OAE. St. Louis. ABH OAE. Rath, 2b., 3 1 1 0. Shotten, cf., 3 1 2 0. Lord, 3b., 6 0 1 1. Johnson, lf., 3 1 1 0. Collins, lf., 5 1 1 0. Williams, cf., 4 1 0 0. Bodie, cf., 1 1 0 0. Pratt, 2b., 2 0 3 0. Horton, 1b., 1 0 1 1. Stovall, 1b., 2 2 2 0. Mattick, lf., 2 0 0 0. Austin, 2b., 3 1 1 0. Weaver, ss., 3 2 4 2. Walsh, ss., 2 1 1 2. Schalk, c., 2 2 1 0. Thompson, 1 0 0 0. Fante, p., 3 0 0 0. Hildbrand, p., 1 0 0 0. Agnew, c., 2 0 4 2. Valke, c., 1 0 0 0. Alexander, c., 2 0 1 0. Leever, p., 2 0 0 0. Albin, p., 2 0 0 0. Bonin, 10 0 0 0. Stone, p., 0 0 1 2. St. Louis. ABH OAE. Rath, 2b., 3 1 1 0. Shotten, cf., 3 1 2 0. Lord, 3b., 6 0 1 1. Johnson, lf., 3 1 1 0. Collins, lf., 5 1 1 0. Williams, cf., 4 1 0 0. Bodie, cf., 1 1 0 0. Pratt, 2b., 2 0 3 0. Horton, 1b., 1 0 1 1. Stovall, 1b., 2 2 2 0. Mattick, lf., 2 0 0 0. Austin, 2b., 3 1 1 0. Weaver, ss., 3 2 4 2. Walsh, ss., 2 1 1 2. Schalk, c., 2 2 1 0. Thompson, 1 0 0 0. Fante, p., 3 0 0 0. Hildbrand, p., 1 0 0 0. Agnew, c., 2 0 4 2. Valke, c., 1 0 0 0. Alexander, c., 2 0 1 0. Leever, p., 2 0 0 0. Albin, p., 2 0 0 0. Bonin, 10 0 0 0. Stone, p., 0 0 1 2.

Y. M. C. A. Athletics.

The first round of games in the Business Men's Outdoor Volleyball League were played last week. Carlton's team was the only one to cop two games, and is at the head of the list.

Standing of the Clubs. Won. Lost. Pct. Carlton 2 0 1.000. Berry 1 1 .500. Corey 1 1 .500. Graves 1 1 .500. Harrison 1 1 .500. Hill 0 2 .000. This week's schedule: Monday—Harrison vs. Carlton; Graves vs. Berry; Wednesday—Corey vs. Hill; Carlton vs. Graves. Friday—Hill vs. Harrison; Corey vs. Berry.

Indoor Baseball. In the closing game in the indoor baseball contest, Gillman's team won from Langhorne, 4 to 2, and the same team won the championship in the series, taking eight games out of fourteen from their opponents. Indoor baseball will still be played informally following the 6:15 evening class.

Basketball. The Thursday night games will find Stringer playing Leharwitch and Northrop lined up against Carr. The program on Thursday nights includes calisthenics, volleyball and basketball. Regular classes on Tuesday and Saturday, with the emphasis on recreational exercise from now on.

Team standing: Won. Lost. Pct. Leharwitch 3 1 .750. Stringer 3 1 .750. Northrop 2 2 .500. Carr 0 4 .000.

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WEATHER CAUSES BAD START IN BASEBALL

Rain and Cold Work Havoc With Arrangements Made for Opening Week.

TAILENDERS SHOW UP WELL

Big Crop of Double-Headers Sown Early in Season for Summer Harvesting.

New York, April 13.—Rain and cold worked havoc with major league prearrangements for the opening week of the baseball season, and not a club in either organization played to its schedule. Of thirteen National League games scheduled, only five were played. Of an even dozen dates, American League clubs were able to keep their engagements on seven occasions. Rarely has so big a crop of double-headers been sown so early for summer harvesting.

Aside from weather contrivances, the fine showing of last place clubs or near-tailenders of 1912 was the feature of play in the season's early stages. With Boston in the National and St. Louis in the American League occupying first place positions, the standings of the clubs at the week-end resembled last year's tables turned topsy-turvy.

A glance of the National League games played, shows the champion Giants still minus a victory, the lively Boston team, under its new manager, George Stallings, having beaten the New Yorks in the opening game, while the weather prevented another meeting of the clubs. The Giants showing was disappointing to their followers, but the team has something of a habit of losing opening-day encounters, and their speed and general strength are expected to show later.

The concededly strong Pittsburghs beat the Cincinnati in the only game of the series played, Joe Tinker thus starting his managerial career with a defeat, which probably fails to work him appreciably in the circumstances. A like fate met Johnny Evers in the Cubs' first game of the season, under the leadership, the laurels of the initial battle going to another new manager, Miller Huggins, of St. Louis. Philadelphia and Brooklyn fought each other to a stand-off in their two engagements. Brooklyn, for once, seemed an improved team. Too few games have been played in this league, however, to indicate the strength of the clubs through actual work on the diamond.

In Favor of Muckers. In the American League two pitched battles in Boston between the world's champions, the Red Sox, and the Philadelphia Athletics, resulted in favor of Manager Connie Mack's men.

The poor showing of Wood and Beckett, two of the champion star boxmen, was a feature of the brief series, which also showed the Athletics' famous star infield working well, with Eddie Collins as its particularly bright luminary. Neither Coombs nor Bender, of the Athletics' boxmen, displayed winning form, however, while Plank was as reliable as ever. The Boston proved the same hard fighters. This was easily the most notable series of the week.

The only other clubs to play as many as two games, were St. Louis and Detroit, with the honors going to the Browns. Manager Stovall seems to have an improved lot of men, but Detroit's old star twirler, Mullin, is showing good form. Jennings's team is handicapped by the lack of Ty Cobb's services. Cobb, most conspicuous of "holdouts" is standing pat so far on his demand for a \$15,000 salary, while President Navin, of the Tigers, is on record as declaring that Cobb will have to make the next advances. Much interest centres in the outcome of their dispute.

There was a stand-off in the Chicago-Cleveland games with little to indicate what the gait of either team will be when it settles down. **Fighting Spirit Developed.** The fact that Washington won the opening game, and the only one played with Frank Chance's rejuvenated New Yorkers, while it pleased supporters of the Nationals, was far from discouraging to followers of the Highlanders. Injuries already have played havoc with the New York line-up, but the team, with the fighting spirit it seems to have developed under its new leader, may be stronger than it has been generally figured. Perhaps interest in the next few tussles in which this club engages, in view of the former Cub manager's switch to the American League, and the apparently good start he has made toward putting a losing team on its feet.

The Washingtons played excellently in their one try on the diamond, and their success is still bright with pennant hopes.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

At Kansas City—Kansas City, 8; Toledo, 2.
At Milwaukee—Milwaukee, 6; Louisville, 1.
At Minneapolis—Minneapolis, 4; Columbus, 2.
At St. Paul—St. Paul, 4; Indianapolis, 2.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE

At Memphis—Memphis, 4; Montgomery, 6.
At New Orleans—New Orleans, 7; Mobile, 2.

Gossip of the Links

BY WALTER BECKETT.

The program for the ninth annual Old Dominion tennis tournament has just been issued. This tournament will be for the Hermitage Challenge Cup, and is to be held on the clay courts of the Country Club of Virginia on Monday, June 3, and the following days during that week until completed. It is under the auspices of the United States National Lawn Tennis Association.

This tournament was inaugurated in 1905 by the Hermitage Golf Club in order to provide a convenient meeting point at an attractive season of the year, for players from the North and South. This plan has succeeded beyond its greatest hope, and these tournaments have drawn from the best players of the two sections. The entries for the last three years have run between fifty and seventy-five. This tournament is open to all players, whether residents of Virginia or not.

Some years ago the tournament was by agreement transferred to the Country Club of Virginia, because of the greater facilities at its disposal for the entertainment of visiting players. The latter club fully maintained the high standard set by the former, both as regards the character and size of tournament and the entertainment of visitors. The tournament is generally finished on Friday.

The events of this tournament will be the men's singles and doubles, women's singles and mixed doubles and a consolation event in men's singles. Women's doubles will also be added should there be a sufficient number of women entered.

Three-year trophy cups are offered in men's singles, men's doubles and women's singles. The cups are to become the property of the players first winning them three times, not necessarily in succession.

The Hermitage challenge cup in men's singles is now held by Nat. Thornton, of Atlanta. It has also been won twice by Fred Pollard, of Richmond, Va., and R. H. Palmer, of New Jersey, and once by T. R. Poll of New York; Richard Hooper, of Massachusetts, and R. L. James, of Pennsylvania. The Hermitage challenge cup in women's singles is held by Mrs. J. S. Tiele of Norfolk.

The Hermitage challenge cup in men's doubles is held by C. G. Evans and O. C. Shanes. They have also been won twice by Wyle C. Grant and T. R. Poll, 1908-1911. Once also by H. C. Bridges, of North Carolina, and Fred G. Pollard, of Richmond; R. L. James, of Pennsylvania, and J. Y. Ballenger, of Washington, and J. C. Neely, of Chicago, and F. A. Allen, of Atlanta. In this event the holders are required to play through.

Golf with all the old-time zest was played at the Country Club last Wednesday afternoon, when Duke Davenport gave a banquet and tournament to a party of his golfing friends. A. H. Christian, Jr., was master of ceremonies. William Hayes, the local boy, was asked if Mr. Christian was giving the party. "No, sir," said William, "Mr. Christian is the hostess." The prize was a silver cup, which was won by John Leary, with a net score of 75. He scored a 43 going out, with two sevens, but coming home he steadied down a bit and bettered his outgoing score by four strokes. Mr. Leary has the honor of being the only golfer that can hold his left hand on the end of the shaft and his right hand on the bottom of the grip, and yet get the ball away with a very good degree of regularity.

The "Duke" was third, with a net score of 79. This is doing very poorly for him, but as he expressed it, he didn't feel called upon to win his own cup. The scores: Out. In. T. H. N. John Leary 43 42 17 75. J. B. Young 45 43 15 78. "Duke" Davenport 49 59 29 79. H. W. Hazard 46 45 14 81. A. H. Christian, Jr. 50 101 29 81. F. C. Woodward 40 47 17 83. J. Scott Parrish 53 52 105 21 84. Thomas H. Carter 62 47 109 21 85. R. H. Johnson 54 53 107 20 87. R. H. Johnson 57 44 101 14 87. R. L. Cabell 57 57 114 25 89. Fred Pleasant 58 53 111 21 90. R. H. Harwood 63 51 114 21 93. Frank Williams 62 61 123 20 93.

Don't. Don't stand on the putting-green counting your strokes, after you have holed out. Move on and let the next couple approach. Do your arithmetic at the next tee.

Don't forget there are other players than yourself. Try to avoid delaying them if possible.

Don't refuse to play with another number whose handicap is larger than your own.

Don't make the making a match, announce that your handicap is larger and ask for more strokes than you are entitled to.

Don't be always cursing your luck and your opponent's good luck. Smother or later you are bound to have a lucky day.

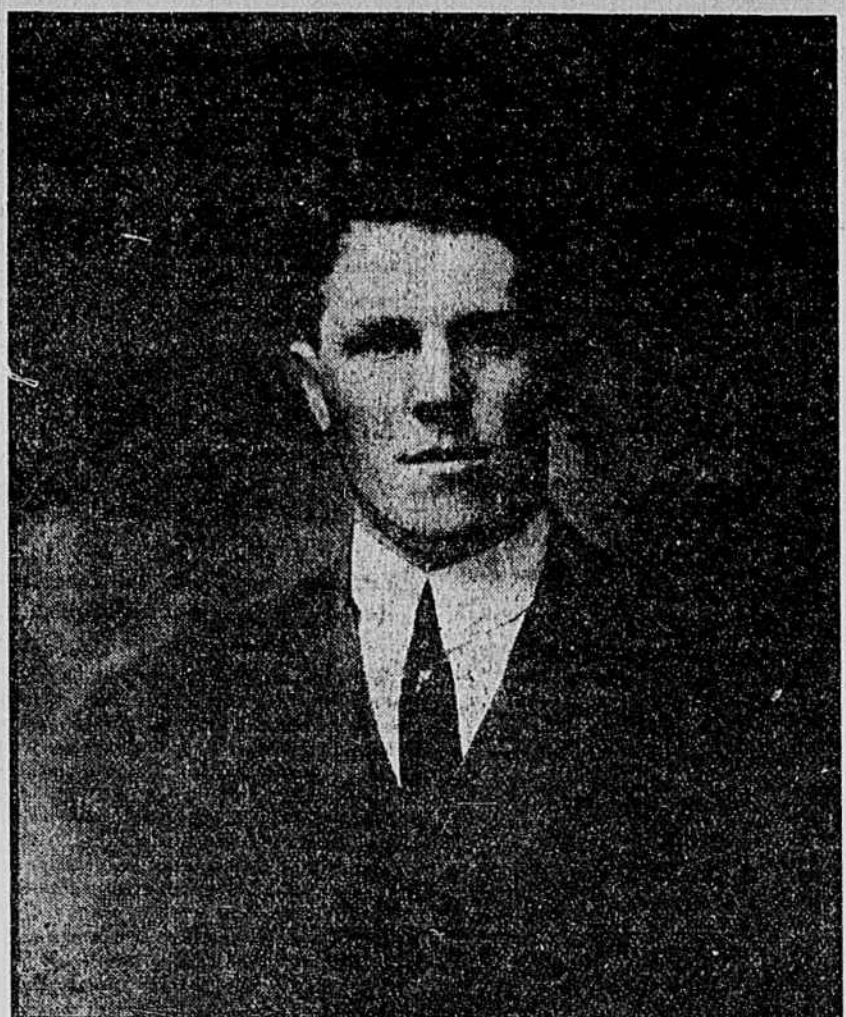
Don't always praise your own good shots; leave that to your opponent.

Don't, if you are a very slow couple, and a faster couple is being delayed.

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NATIONAL
Chicago, 7; Pittsburgh, 4.
Cincinnati-St. Louis; rain.
No other games scheduled.

AMERICAN
St. Louis, 2; Chicago, 7.
Cleveland-Detroit; rain.
No other games scheduled.

STANDING OF TEAMS.				
Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.	Last Year.
Boston	1	0	1.000	1.000
St. Louis	1	0	1.000	1.000
Pittsburgh	1	1	.500	.000
Brooklyn	1	1	.500	.000
Philadelphia	1	1	.500	.000
Chicago	1	1	.500	.000
Cincinnati	0	1	.000	1.000
New York	0	1	.000	.500

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

Brooklyn at New York.
Boston at Philadelphia.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.

Chicago at St. Louis.
Detroit at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at Washington.
New York at Boston.

on your account, omit to ask them to pass you.

Hints for Golf Beginners. Be courteous to not address the ball until it addresses you. Be frugal, remember that a ball in your caddy bag is worth two in the long grass.

Be calm while the caddy is looking for your ball in the brook, stroll up the valley when your opponent is about to play his shot—speak to him, it may encourage him to do his worst.

Be firm, if your ball falls into a gopher hole, claim the hole. Always remember that you have a reputation for politeness to establish with the caddy's mother.

Take your dog along. If you cannot play golf you can play with the dog.

Put your ball two inches in front of the discs. This will show that you are game.

Put with Confidence. This has landed many a man in the hole. Remember that the purpose of a tee shot is to get your ball in the hole.

Remember that the purpose of a tee shot is to get your ball in the hole. Your opponent chances to stand near your ball at any time, play it against his feet with a gentle shot. This will give you the hole under rule eighteen. Always play the game.

It is a mistaken idea that a knowledge of the rules is necessary. Some players never acquire even a speaking acquaintance with them, and yet their scores look good.

It is not always necessary to hole all your putts. Consider the difficult ones holed out. That is, unless your opponent is watching you.

Mrs. Fred Pleasant was speaking to W. W. Kean about how strange it was that every person that played golf was afflicted with the golf germ. In the course of the conversation, Mrs. Pleasant remarked that she always knew when Mr. Pleasant came home at night after playing golf whether he won his money or not. If he lost he would talk about his hard luck.

IN FIRST CLASH OF SEASON CUBS DEFEAT PIRATES

18,000 Fans See Evers's Men Jump on Hendrix Until He Is Benched.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Chicago, April 13.—The Cubs trimmed the Pirates to-day in their first clash of the season 7 to 4 before 18,000 fans. Evers's men slammed Claude Hendrix, the Pirate star, viciously in the first and fifth rounds, and Clarke finally sent Claude to the bench. Cheney stopped Pittsburgh cold except in the third round, when they counted three runs.

Score: Chicago, 7; Pittsburgh, 4.
Cubs: Carey, lf., 4 0 4 0. Hoffman, cf., 6 0 0 0. Clymer, cf., 4 2 3 1. Byrne, 2b., 1 0 1 1. Thibault, rf., 5 2 3 0. Viox, ss., 4 1 0 0. Mitchell, lf., 4 3 3 0. Miller, lf., 4 3 7 0. Zimman, 3b., 5 1 3 0. Wilson, rf., 4 0 1 0. Archer, 1b., 3 1 0 0. Butler, 2b., 4 2 2 0. Evers, 2b., 4 1 7 0. Gibson, c., 2 0 5 0. Hurdell, ss., 3 2 0 1. Kelly, c., 1 0 3 0. Freshman, c., 3 0 1 1. Hendrix, p., 1 0 1 3. Cheney, p., 4 1 0 2. Cooper, p., 1 0 0 0. Menor, p., 1 0 0 0. Hoots, p., 1 0 0 0.

Totals: 36 24 5 2. Total: 36 27 13 8.

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Score by Innings: Chicago, 0 0 0 0 0 0 7. Pittsburgh, 0 0 0 0 0 0 4.

Summary: Run—Carey, Hoffman, Byrne, Butler, Clymer, 2; Schube, Zimmerman, Evers, Bridwell, Hits—Hendrix, 3 in 5. Innings: Two base hits—Miller, Cheney, Viox, Butler, Sacrifice—Butler, Mitchell, bases on balls—Cheney, 4; off Hendrix, 2; off Cooper, 1; struck out—by Hendrix, 2; by Cooper, 2; by Cheney, 4. Impres., Owens and Guthrie. Time, two hours.

He is happier than ever was monarch or king.

One of the best tennis matches of the season took place on the Country Club courts Wednesday afternoon. Wallace Johnson, winner of the all-conquer championship at Newport, and George Zinn, played an exhibition match with W. E. Buford and Robert Pollard, which the latter won, much to the surprise of the spectators.

The tournament of the American Golf Association of the Advertising Interests, embracing membership from all parts of the United States, will be held at Hot Springs, Va., July 7 to 12. Heretofore the association has held its annual competition in the Northern mountains, such as Bretton Woods, but authorities declare that it is no warmer in Virginia at that time of year than up North. William C. Freeman, of Englewood, is chairman of the tournament committee.

One of the latest phases of the many-sided royal and ancient pastime is a chain of golf courses now being organized in Texas. The plan is to arrange half a dozen courses near various cities in the circuit and permit the members of any one club to play anywhere else in the chain without additional charge.

If the plan of several British golfers goes through, the amateur golfing shop of Great Britain will in future be conducted along similar lines to those pertaining to the national tournament of the United States. In other words, instead of having all the contests at match play, as is the case at present, there will be a qualifying round with match play following at thirty six holes. The first forty-four holes, the first thirty-two men continuing a match play.

Last year such a change was proposed, but several of the leading men opposed, and moreover, the suggestion had not been made until too late to be considered. This season, however, the delegates have been given sufficient notice.

Turner and Smallwood

Steve Griffin will pitch Tink Turner and Walter Smallwood in the game to-day with the Blues. Charley Luskey and Jay Rogers will catch. The game begins at 4 o'clock.

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